

Media Information

Columbus Division of Police CAP Bureau / Homicide Unit

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Date: August 8, 2017

Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide Date: Aug 8, 2017 Time: 2:37 AM

Location of Offense/Incident: 7401 Kirkdale Drive Zone: 2 Precinct: 14

Incident Report #: 170683308 Cruiser District: 141

Victim: Kenneth Edward Davis		Sex: M	Race: B	Age: 35
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Incident Summary: On August 8, 2017, at approximately 2:37 a.m., Columbus Police officers were called to 7401 Kirkdale Drive on the report of shots fired. The caller also stated that they would be transporting the shooting victim to the hospital themselves. At approximately 2:43 a.m. the victim arrived at Mt. Carmel East Hospital and was rushed into the trauma unit. At approximately 2:55 a.m. attending physicians in the trauma unit pronounced the victim, later identified as Kenneth Edward Davis, deceased. Initial investigation indicates that the victim was shot in his vehicle as he arrived at the address in an apparent ambush attack. Homicide detectives are canvassing the area attempting to identify any possible witnesses to the shooting.				
The investigation continues.				
This is the 79th Homicide in Columbus, Ohio in Calendar Year 2017. Incident #170683308.				
Detective Brian Wildman is the lead detective, assisted by Detective Todd Chapman.				
Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS.				
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